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For: **FUNGUS RESISTANT PLANTS AND THEIR
USES**

Examiner: Zheng, Li

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the office action dated April 24, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 13 of this paper and include both 12 attached replacements sheets and 12 annotated sheets showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 20 of this paper.